# **HEW YORK CITY PAYS** TWO "EFFICIENCY EXPERTS" AT RATE OF \$1,000 A WEEK

ther is New Yorker, but Each Gets \$10,000 for Only Ten Weeks' Work.

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NOT CLEAR AS TO WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLIBHED.

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"Why, my and of the work is being carried out in six high schools. It is being quietly done."

"What are the names of the schools?" asked the reporter.

"Why, I san't enlighter you as sthat," replied Dean Schneider. "You see, the work hasn't begun in earnest yet."

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends severe colds or grippe in few hours.

had 'the punch.' and Dean Schoolder, 'so we went to the Greek and
selected dynamic as the name for
him. Then we have young men whose
natures are directive, or dependent,
'original' or imitative.'
'original' original' original' original' original' original' original' original' PURCHASE BY U.S.

"But I thought you were brought here because you did know," said the heekler.

"Do you mean my job to-night or my job in New York City?" asked the \$10,000 a year expert. "I assume you mean the latter. Well, my job here is to install the co-operative system. It deals entirely with boys between the ages of fourteen and eighteen, after they go to work."

Another heckler wanted to know if ancestry figured in the efforts to pick a good calling for a bey. Dean Schneider replied:

"Personally, I think it ought to. But we do not put stress on that test. I think it would be worth figuring on seriously—if we could get the ancestry." Not Available Under Congress Bill.

his conversations with Secretary Mc-

Adoo, he had so far excluded those

ships as unavailable to the Govern-

ment, that the possibility of their purchase never was discussed. Baker added he was satisfied Mr. McAdoo

Just prior to the war's outbreak

Baker stated, the Hamburg-American

Line made a proposal to buy all the

bonds, then selling down to about 80.

In this he said he acted as Hamburg-American Line agent, but the plan

serfled the Hamburg-American's at-

tempt to buy all the Atlantic Transport Company's stock when Baker

controlled the company, a deal which

ANOTHER SENATE SNAG.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- Admin tration Democrats got another set-

back in their fight for President Wil-

learned to-day that the bill as i

passed the House early to-day wil

Kenyon, Norris or La Foliette, Pro-gressive Republicans, on whom they counted, nor the support of any of the seven insurgents of their own

**ELEVATOR FALLS: FIVE HURT** 

FARGO LEFT \$545,000.

The will of James C. Furge, founder express companies, who died Feb. 5 in year, was filed for probate in the arregate's Court to-day. It disposed an estate estimated at \$270,000 to an estate estimated at \$270,000 to

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acquiesced in that view.

GRAND JURY PROBING "L" ROAD COLLISION

District Attorney Investigates Case in Which Coroner Found Directors Guilty.

The General Sessions Grand Jury segan an investigation to-day into otor who was on the rear platform

of the second car.

All the witnesses who were heard by the Coroner's Jury were on hand to-day to testify before the Grand Jury. District Attorney Perkins hopes to conclude the inquiry to-morrow, when, it is expected, the Grand Jury will report to Judge Malone.

#### BROOKLYN DOCTOR DIES AIDING SERVIANS

Cable Says Dr. Albert S. Cooke Succumbed While Attending the Wounded.

the seven insurgents of their own party.

The plan to move to concur with the House amendments was wrecked by the discovery that the leaders could not muster enough votes. Administration leaders made no attempt to conceal their embarrasment and planned to send the bill to conference with the hope of putting on some amendments to command support. The bolting Democrats were said to be favorable to an amendment to make the esterprise a temporary one serving with the Servian Hospital Corps. The message was bent by Dr. Barton McCoch Cookingham of Red Bank, N. J., who, with Dr. Cooks, was in charge of the Valemevo hos-

volusly spent seven years studying medicine in Germany, established himself at No. 878 Nunth Street. Brooklys. Sive years ago. Last No-vember he left for Europe suddenly and asked Mrs. Beam, from whom he rented his office and lodgings, to look after his effects. In December he wrote her that he was in Paris and would Join the Red Cross. Dr. Cooke was thirty-five years old and was born in Whitehall, N. T. He was a member of the Kismet Temple, of the Masonic Order. Mrs. Beam, who still Masonic Order. Mrs. Beam, who still has the property he left, does not maked learned the men.

#### ARMY OFFICER MUST EXPLAIN "WAR" TALK

Capt. Mitchell Quoted as Saying at Enemy Could Take U. S. Ports While Army Was Being Built.

the unpreparedness of the United States for war. Capt. Mitchell was quoted as having said that "It would take the United States about three years to put an army of 1,000,000 trained men in the Seld, and in that time an enemy could take and hold our American seaboards."

Scoretary Garrison said he considered such utterances, if made in public at present, injudicious and improper.

GETS CALL TO ENGLAND.

ormer Member of New York Pres-

inter assistant minister of the Rutland Square Church, Dublin, Ireland, had re-ceived a call to the Hebburn Presby-terian Church at Newcastle-on-Tyne, one of the largest Presbyterian churches in Northern England.

BOY MASHER GETS 30 DAYS.

# OF BROOKLYN BAR

Senate Lobby Told They Were Grout Counsel Says Case Was Firecracker That Blew Prosecutor Into Office.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.-Bernard Stephen C. Baldwin, counsel fo Edward M. Grout in the Union Bank manager, told the Senate Committee matter, entertained Justice Jaycox in the Supreme Court to-day by an arinquiring into charges of influence against the Administration Ship Bill raignment of District-Attorney Cropto-day that 20 per cent. of the Ger-man-owned liners laid up in American

Mr. Baldwin was arguing for the ports were unfitted for the service the bill contemplates, and that in all them, to another county; he insisted that Cropsey's utterances regarding the case had made a fair Brooklyn impossible. "The Grout case," said Mr. Bald-

win, "has been the firecracker of Mr. Cropsey's political ambition. It blew him into office. He wants to rise still further on it. He hopes to sit in a seat like that now occupied by Your Honor. "While Cropsey has the Grout car let us pity Charley Whitman, if he

has any ambition for 1916. Cropsey

has any ambition for 1916. Cropsey or regards himself as the legal jugger-mant of Flatbush. He is the Eva. Tanguay of the Brooklyn bar; he dosen't care.

"After Justice Marean ordered him to produce a bill of particulars for us. Mr. Cropsey did not call the learned Justice a bosom friend of Grout. Mr. Cropsey rode into office on that horse and he means to ride it as far as the political road will take him."

Justice Jaycox listened gravery, without comment and at 1 o'clock acceded to Mr. Baldwin's request for a recease of an hour.

Bill to Punish Bad Husbands. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 17 .- In-INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 17.—Indiana husbands who neglect to support their wives or children will be arrested, fined any sum less than \$500 or sentenced to jail for sixty days if a bill which passed unanimously in the State Senate yesterday becomes a law. Wages earned by guilty husbands on public work during their imprisonment will be given to their neglected wives or children.

## ADMITS HE STOLE **AUTO AFTER WIFE** UPSETS HIS ALIBI

She Tries to Save Him on Stand, but Says It Rained When It Didn't.

The young and pretty wife of Joseph J. Meacle, twenty-six years old. District Attorney and the police be-

machine, valued at \$4,000, from in front of Reisenweber's restaurant, at Street, on the night of Dec. 22, while cated the machine in Poughkeepsie, was identified by Mr. Pierce as a man care of the machine while he was in been given a reward of \$400 for recovering his auto, which was stolen Dec. 11, 1914, two doors from Mea-cle's home.

witness. He sought to establish an out automobiling. Asked by Justice Weeks and Assistant District Attorney Train how she fixed the night in her

oubt a conspiracy had existed in the

city for some years to steal machines and make the insurance nompanies pay for their return. He advised Meacle to tell all he knew about it and fixed Feb. 4 as the date for sentencing him.

Assistant District Attorney Train said, after court had adjourned, that the conviction of Meacle had broken up the biggest "fence" for stolen machines which had ever existed in New York.

#### COMMUTERS SHAKEN UP.

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